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STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA

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PER CAPITA EXPENDITURE
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have estimated the per capita expenditure on food/non food and fuel in the North Eastern Region; and

(b) if so, the details thereof

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION, MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS & PUBLIC GRIEVANCES IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a) Yes Sir,

(b) According to the survey on Consumer Expenditure conducted by National Sample Survey Organisation (NSSO) during January - June 1998, the estimated monthly per capita expenditure of households in North-Eastern Region on food, non-food and fuel & light is as given below:

State	Item	Monthly Per Capita Expenditure (in Rs.)	
		Rural	Urban
Assam	Food	233.06	327.74
	Non-food	104.49	251.83
	Fuel & light	24.27	40.97
Other States in NE including Sikkim	Food	295.26	367.31
	Non-food	182.08	330.33
	Fuel & light	37.60	46.97